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# More choices, flexibility at UM

Major changes made with the University of Maryland's new course schedule will make it easier for watchstanders and people who have busy schedules to take college classes. The changes take affect when Maryland's Term One begins in late August.

The university has been taking a look at how they do business in Rota and they're making changes in hopes to provide people more opportunities to learn while they're in Rota.

"The base has changed. Its population has decreased and its deployment pattern has stepped up," said Michelle Boyer, field representative for the University. "So we saw the need to try new things to accommodate the changing needs and interests."

The biggest change will occur in class scheduling. Almost all classes at Maryland will only be available in one-hour 15 minute sessions held four nights weekly. Gone from the schedule are three-hour sessions held two nights weekly. "People are really busy, and to ask someone to be away for three hours is hard," said Boyer.

"The new schedule should allow more people, particularly watchstanders, an opportunity to attend classes," said Boyer. "With these one-hour 15 minute classes, supervisors might be able to let their people go to a class when they have watch."

The University expects that some students may not like the new schedule, but Boyer said reaction to the new schedule so far has been positive. She added that the new schedule does not restrict or take away anything from students used to the old schedule. The new schedule, though, does give people who couldn't take classes before an opportunity to find a class time convenient for their schedule.

"Now there are five class time slots available," said Boyer. Classes will now be offered at: 8 a.m., Noon; 5:15 p.m.; 6:45 p.m.; and 8:15 p.m. All classes last one hour and 15 minutes.

Maryland has seven new teachers starting in Term One and will be offering courses for three new associates programs - Early Child Development, Criminal Justice and Emergency Medical Services.

Registration for Term One begins August 16. Classes run Aug. 30 to Oct. 15.

## Rota readies for July 4th



Public Works Seabees and Marines here set up casetas and run power lines Tuesday for the 4th of July festivities. The assistance saved the 4th of July committee and the base more than \$7,000, according to UTCS(SCW) Vince Patton. See page 4 and 6.

# Crime expected to increase during summer months

The NAVSTA Security department's Crime Prevention team is expecting a slight increase in vehicle break-ins and burglaries in the coming months . "The trend is it will increase," said YN2(SW) Brian Dembicky, Crime Prevention team member.

Security crime statistics show house break-ins climb to an average of 11 incidents a month during July, August and September. An average of five monthly break-ins occur the rest of the year.

Vehicle break-ins climb to an average of 14 break-ins a month in July, August and September. An average of 12 monthly break-ins occur the rest of the year.

"The main factor [for the increase] is a population increase [made up of tourists and transient summer crowds] in the

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## Gas coupon prices drop

Naval Station Supply Department will soon manage the gas coupons program at Rota, and lower the cost of them to \$40 per 100 liters.

Gas coupons will still be issued through the NEX, but Supply will oversee the process, saving residents \$20 per liter over prices several months ago.

Naval Station Supply Officer, Cmdr. Larry Arcement ensured the cost of gas is based on the break-even point for the NEX. "Naval Station wants to break even, and one way we can bring the break-even point even lower is to give [the NEX] one of my guys that can do the job," said

Arcement. "We had an available supervisor at the Galley that is very good with inventory management that we are using at the NEX," said Arcement. He added that strong leadership and bilingual skills of the petty officers 1st class at the Galley helped free up some of the manpower needs there.

The transition will be nearly seamless for residents, added Arcement, as the systems the NEX currently uses will stay the same.

"The Exchange is still running the program - everything still happens over at the exchange -[Supply Department] just provides the expertise to operate the program."

## VQ-2 Chief dies of bone cancer, base mourns

A VQ-2 chief died last Wednesday after a short, intense battle with a rare form of bone cancer. The cancer was noticed only six weeks prior to his

AWC(AW/SW) George Waller died at Walter Reed Medical Center near Washington, D.C. His wife and two children were flown to be by his side af-

death.

ter doctors notified them of his deteriorating condition.

Waller served with distinction at VQ-2, arriving in March of 1998 with an impressive list of accomplishments, built since enlisting in the Navy in 1980. He served as the Leading Chief Petty Officer for the N3 Operations Department.

Waller was always seeking to better himself through education, having attended numerous courses at several schools. He

earned an A.S. in Business Administration at New Hampshire College, a B.S. in the same subject, as well as a B.S. in Computer Information Systems from Columbia College. He was enrolled in the Master's Program at the University of

Maryland campus in Rota, working on Management of Information Systems at the time of his

Waller was very active and

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## **NEMOC** Weekend Forecast

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## Barracks evacuation drills to continue on monthly basis

Residents living in the barracks at the Naval Station may have noticed fire alarms sounding more often. Unannounced evacuation drills in all of the enlisted barracks are now being conducted randomly at least once a month, which have been done quarterly in the past.

"We have to increase the awareness and responsiveness of tenants living in the barracks," said Tony Athans, fire inspector, Naval Station, Rota, Spain. "Right now, we absolutely have a problem with responsiveness. Until we treat each fire drill as an actual fire, we will continue to do the drills on a monthly basis."

Athans said residents of the barracks are taking too long to evacuate the buildings during fire drills. "The building needs be completely evacuated in a timely manner, and someone needs to take charge of the group that's outside the building."

The barracks currently don't have a central alarm system that automatically notifies the Fire

Department (except Building 28) when an alarm goes off, said Athans, but all public buildings will eventually have automatic notification systems.

Currently, the Fire Department relies on the residents of the buildings to call them in case of an emergency, said Athans.

"If someone identifies a fire, the first thing they need to do is pull the fire alarm, then go immediately to a neighboring building and dial 911."

"The residents have to take the responsibility, just like if it was your own home," said Athans. "If more people treated [the barracks] like their home, we wouldn't have as much of a problem," he added.

Athans said the biggest problem is that people aren't taking the fire drills seriously. He added little progress has been made increasing the responsiveness of barracks residents to fire alarms. "This is a requirement of the base to ensure that our residents are safe."

## Cell phone use dangerous at gas station: base fire inspector

Fire inspectors and Safety officials at Naval Station, Rota, Spain, warn against the use of cellular phones at gas stations, anywhere smoking is not authorized and any area where there is combustible material.

Recently, a patron of a gas station in the States suffered burns associated with the use of a 'cell phone' at a gas station, according to Tony Athans, fire inspector, Naval Station, Rota, Spain.

Although it may be a rare occurrence, Athans said they are asking everyone at Naval Station, Rota, to refrain from using cellular phones in areas near combustible materials.

A message generated from the Fire Marshal's office in Norfolk, Va., stated "the threat mobile phones pose to gas stations and their users is primarily a result of the phone's ability to produce sparks that can be generated that can be generated by the high-powered battery attached to the phone."

Mobile phone manufactures Motorola, Ericsson and Nokia all caution users against mobile phone use in "gas stations, fuel storage facilities and chemical factories.

Athans added that information is provided in the cellular phone handbook with specific warning information and cautions for cellular phone users.

## Operational tempo increases at Port

Sailors at Rota's Port Operations department have been working at an increased operations tempo so far this year.

The Port Operations department has logged 468 ship-days so far this year and is on pace for a more than 900 ship-day year. The port usually handles 700

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BMC(SW)JohnPalma

ship-days each year.

The increase in port calls and ship-days is mostly due to Sixth Fleet support of Kosovo operations. Work schedules at the port are directly tied to the fleet's operational commitments, and that has meant a lot of overtime for the nearly 20 Sailors at Port Operations.

"Our motto is 'We Work Weekends'," said BMC(SW) John Palma, the port's harbor pilot. "Whenever the ships come in, we're there." Last year, the port team worked 36 out of 52 weekends. "This weekend, while the rest of the base has the Fourth of July off, we'll be working."

Port has three ship movements to work this weekend. A frigate departs tomorrow, a minesweeper departs Saturday, and the



USS Grover pulled in to the Rota port June 28 with the assistance of the crew at Port Operations.

USS Inchon departs Monday.

Each ship that comes in or out of Rota requires a minimum of four hours - and sometimes up to six hours - of work to get the ship underway or berthed at one of the base's piers.

The Sailors at Port Operations are responsible for getting all U.S. Navy and U.S. Navy-contracted ships in and out of port safely. That responsibility includes navigating the ships in and out of the

harbor, providing line-handlers at the pier and coordinating ship support.

"We take care of the ships when they're in port," said Palma. That support ranges from coordinating trash disposal to arranging any changes in the departure schedule.

"We work pretty much around the clock. Our duty guy is on call 24 hours a day," said Palma. "The guys out here do a lot of work."

## Base mourns loss

well known within the squadron and local community. He coached the VQ-2 Women's Basketball team, and could always be found lending a hand on and off the court. He was known and respected as a real "go-getter" academically, spending numerous hours studying and assisting others in his graduate level courses

at the University of Maryland. His military decorations include two Navy Commendation Medals, a Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal, Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Battle "E", five Good Conduct Medals, National Defense Service Medal, and various campaign ribbons and decorations. In addition, he served as a Naval Aircrewman, and earned both the Enlisted Aviation Warfare Specialty and Enlisted Surface Warfare Specialty qualifications.

An Honor Guard contingent, comprised of VQ-2 personnel, will be sent to perform duties at his funeral scheduled for Saturday in Dayton, Ohio.

VQ-2 is planning a memorial service to be held at 11 a.m., July 9, at the base chapel. Flowers can be sent to Thomas Hall Jordan, 2625 Gilbert Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45206.

Please contact the VQ-2 Public Affairs Office at x1139 for details

Waller is survived by his wife of 17 years, Mavis Jamiece, and two children, Camille Jamiece, born 1986, and William Jordan, born 1990.

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## Naval Hospital Rota receives 'Outstanding' during recent FDA inspection

Every blood bank in the United States operates under a license from the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), who is charged with ensuring blood products are produced in accordance with the highest medical standards. Naval Hospital Rota's blood bank is no exception.

During an intensive inspection last week, an FDA senior inspector examined the hospital's records and procedures. Not a single discrepancy was noted.

During a post-inspection brief with Capt. Ron Black, commanding officer of the Hospital, the inspector said. "Having no discrepancies is a very unusual occurrence. I have done nearly five hundred inspections [of both military and civilian blood banks] and I can count on two hands the

number of times this has happened. You have a wonderful department.

"We are a small and relatively isolated blood bank," said CDR Douglas Knittel, the hospital's pathologist and blood bank medical director. "The inspection results are a tribute to the hard work and extraordinary attention to detail our staff exhibits."

Knittel singled out Lt. Richard Havden, blood bank officer, HM1 Dennis King, quality assurance coordinator and blood bank technicians HM2 Jill Bernier and HM2 Felicia Jackson.

## Rota's Navy Lodge wins performance gold award

Rota's Navy Lodge has been awarded the American Hotel and Motel Association Educational Institute's Performance Plus Gold Award.

The award is presented to lodging operations that have exceeded performance standards through training. Only four

If something is stolen, whether on or off base, Dembicky said people should report the crime to

though, can dramatically reduce

Taking a few precautions,

Fourth of July -

from cover



Stress Factor is one of two local bands playing this year's Fourth of July festival. Paul Votava. drums: Elina Walding. lead vocals; Jose Luis 'Santa' Maria Moron, bass; and Jim Wade, Guitar. Stress Factor will play Friday at 10 p.m. and Sunday at 7 p.m.

## Rota's 625th AMSS wins Air Force-wide supply award

gold awards were given out this

Rota's 625th AMSS Forward Supply Location has won the Air Force's 1998 Daedalian Major General Warren R. Carter Supply Effectiveness Award.

The award recognizes outstanding supply support. Rota's Air Force squadron beat out much larger squadrons at Anderson AFB, Guam; Hickam AFB, Hawaii; Ramstein AB, Germany and Yokota AB, Japan.

The 625th AMSS at Rota received the highest score out all the competing AMC squadrons. The squadron then represented AMC at an Air Force-wide competition and beating squadrons from nine major commands including the Air Combat Command, Air Force Space Command, Pacific Air Forces Command and US Air Forces in Europe command.

with the local police," he said.

Festival events

Naval Station 4th of July festivities kicked off this week with dozens of events planned through Monday.

Softball, tennis and horseshoe tournaments begin today at 5 p.m. Friday is a day off for the Naval Station and 4th of July festivities begin at 8 a.m. with a 5K run at the flight line. The parade begins at 6 p.m. departing from Reflections. The opening ceremonies begin at 6:30 p.m. at the fairgrounds next to the water tower.

The 4th of July is the only day the flying of the American flag is authorized on base.

Performances will include three bands, a talent contest, Cub Scout and Vacation Bible School patriotic songs and a flamenco dance show - and of course the fireworks display which kicks off July 4 at midnight. For a complete listing of events, see the schedule in this week's Coastline.

## Crime may increase-

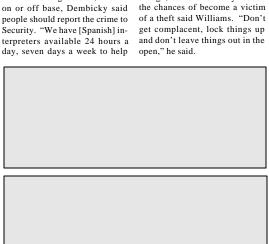
area," said Dembicky.

In addition to an increase in population. Dembicky said the rise in break-ins could also be attributed to a decrease in prevention measures. "It's easy to get complacent here," he said. "Take an extra second to think about your stuff. Don't leave things out in plain view."

Dembicky said area crime trends show thieves here are looking for an easy target. "If it's hard to get at they probably will pass it up. The thieves here are looking for an easy snatch. If it's locked down, latched up, whatever, they'll probably move along," he said.

"Also because it's summer, parking is harder to find in Rota,' said SM3 Haywood Williams, also a Crime Prevention team member. "People are parking in places they would never normally park in. But they should always park in a well-lit area," he said.

Even though it's hot, people should always roll-up the windows and lock the doors said Dembicky. "If it's unlocked, the thieves are going in," he said. One hot-to-get item for thieves is the base "F" pass. "Keep it out view when you're off base," said Williams.



## Base saves \$70K through innovative landfill clean-up project

Naval Station Rota's Public Works department and fire department have teamed up to help rid the base landfill of unwanted wood pallets. The fire department is burning the pallets, saving the Navy more than \$70K in removal costs.

The project is part of the base's program to close down the land-fill and turn the area into a nature conservation area

The area was used by the base as a construction debris landfill and then became a defacto indus-

trial landfill when commands and departments started dumping scrap metal, file cabinets and other materials there.

od pallets. The fire department burning the pallets, saving the vy more than \$70K in removal sts.

"We've closed it and now all construction debris, [scrap metal and wood] has to be taken off base for removal," said Lt. Cmdr.

The project is part of the base's peram to close down the land-ficer at Public Works.

He said the base decided to clean up the area, place a 'cap' on it - a large amount of fill that completely covers the cleaned-up landfill - and then plant grass and trees on the site in an effort to turn the area into a nature conservation area.

"We've sold most of the scrap metal through a DRMO contract and found that the biggest problem was the wood," he said. "We planned on selling the wood but only some of it was bought."

Public Works recycled the usable pallets at the landfill and still

had large amounts of pallets to remove from the site. "A contractor offered to take the wood for \$70K," said Arellano.

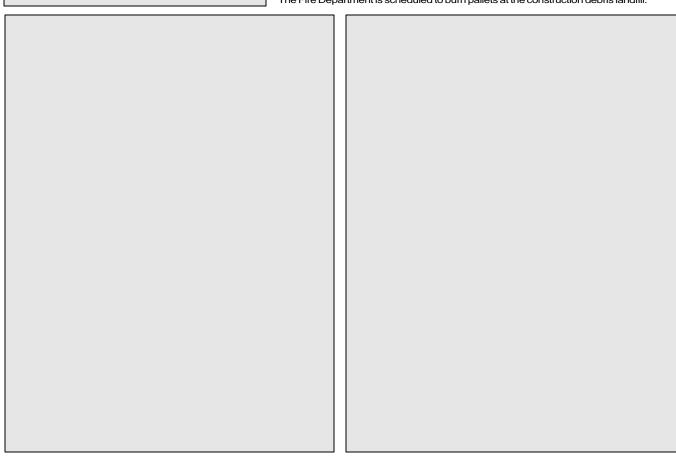
Not wanting to pay that price, public works teamed up with the fire department and worked out the details for the pallet-burning project.

"It just makes sense. We're doing it so the project is cheaper,"

said Arellano. "The fire department is saving us a lot of money." The first burning was held in early June and the next burn takes place in mid-July. After the burns are completed, contractors will come in and remove what's left at the landfill. Arellano said the cap project should be funded this year which means work will begin sometime next year.



The Fire Department is scheduled to burn pallets at the construction debris landfill.



Today			Wives Club of America tent		Wives Club of America tent
5-8 p.m.	Softballtournament	3 p.m.	Tug-O-War at Navy Wives Club	4:10 p.m.	Water Balloon Toss
	Tennis tournament	·	of America tent	5 p.m.	Cake Walk at Navy Wives Club
	Horseshoetournament	3:10 p.m.	Three-legged Race		of America tent
		3:30 p.m.	Apple Bobbing at Navy Wives	5-6 p.m.	Flamenco Dancers
Friday, July 2			Club of America tent	6 p.m.	Navy Wives Club of America tent
8 a.m.	5K Run – on the flight line	4 p.m.	Hula Hoop Contest at Navy		doses
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	Horseshoetournament	5 p.m.	Pie Eating Contest at Navy		
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6:30 p.m.	Opening Ceremony at Parade	6 p.m.	Navy Wives Club of America tent	12 a.m.	Fireworks display
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# Parking and bus information

Vehicle parking for the Fourth of July festival will be available in the field across the street from the fairgrounds, and will be limited. The Rec Rabbit will operating additional hours this weekend. The schedule is as follows:

Friday, 2 July 1100-0200 Saturday, 3 July 1100-0200 Sunday, 4 July 1100-0200 Monday, 5 July 1100-2200

The Rec Rabbit will operate as normal with the extended hours and will make stops at all three gates.

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## Fireworks safety for the Fourth Navy Family Service Center

## Donna Pass-Otteni

Fireworks can be dangerous and cause serious eve injuries or burns not to mention that the only fireworks authorized on base are those presented by the professionals. Fireworks may be purchased on the economy however, we strongly recommend you not use them.

Approximately 13,000 fireworks victims keep hospitals busy each year. Another depressing fact is that more than half of those injured are children. The fact that 40 percent of all injuries involve bystanders points out just how dangerous they really are. Should you decide to use fireworks purchased locally, employ "Risk Management" to identify and eliminate hazards. You will need to read and follow instructions and warnings. which most likely will be written in other than your native language. (Another reason to not take the chance) Ensure observers are not endangered and NEVER allow children to light or handle fireworks. Risk Management can help ensure a safe and happy holiday.

According to the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) instances where legal family-types of fireworks were involved in accidents, the majority of the injuries were from misuse. The CPSC also notes that illegal fireworks continue to be a serious problem. Over the past 10 years, 30-33 percent of the injuries associated with fireworks have typically been caused by illegal

explosives or homemade fireworks. Federal safety regulations, combined with an increase in consumer awareness. are making the Fourth of July holiday safer than ever However explosive devices like M-80s and M-100s continue to be a problem. Though banned since 1966, these illegal explosives still account for one-third of all Fourth of July injuries in the United States.

The following tips should help make the public display more enjoyable: Spectators should obey and respect any safety barriers set. Resist any temptation to get close to the actual firing site. In fact, the best view of the fireworks is from a quarter of a mile or more away. - Although it rarely happens, it is possible that a firework component might fall to the ground without exploding. Do not touch them. If you happen to find any that have not exploded, you should immediately contact the fire department or security personnel.

Pets have very sensitive ears and the booms and bangs associated with a fireworks display can be quite uncomfortable - particularly to dogs. In fact, the noises can actually hurt their ears. Leave pets at home if you are going to be in the vicinity of the fireworks.

The best advice we can provide is to leave the "Fireworks Show" to the professionals this Fourth of July. Sit back, relax and enjoy the show! Don't make a trip to the hospital emergency

## Call 3232

Personal Computer

when making that first

computer purchase.

July 8, 1800-2100

Do the terms RAM, ROM, SCSI, and PCI throw you into a tailspin? If so, the NFSC is offering a

(PC) Basics course. This course will DEVELOPYOUR provide the beginning SPENDING PLAN user a baseline July 20, 1800-2000 understanding of how a PC works and valuable information in what to look for

Learn how to get a handle on finances and win the battle of having too much month left at the end of your money. Let us help vou discover how to get the most from your income and help reduce unnecessary money worries and frustration. Call the Navy Family Service Center at 3232 to reserve your seat.

PARENTS AND TOTS July 14, 1130-1300

This group, for parents with children ages birth to 48 months. allows you to share your ideas with other parents and have fun! For more information, call the Navy Family Service Center at 3232.

#### BROWN BAG LUNCH: GYPSY MARKETS July 16, 1200-1300

In the States they are called Flea Markets and Swap Meets, in Spain they are known as "Gypsy Markets" because originally, all the vendors were Gypsies. Nowadays, they get their distinction from the fact that they move on a daily basis. Join us with a brown bag lunch and learn where the bargains are.



Imagine going to a job interview and on the wall, in big, bold letters is a sign that reads, "The beatings will continue until morale improves." Would you even consider working there? What a way to motivate people!

And yet, you've probably worked at a job where morale was low. No, they didn't beat anyone. That went the way of flogging and keelhauling. But the dynamics were the same. There have always been two schools of thought when

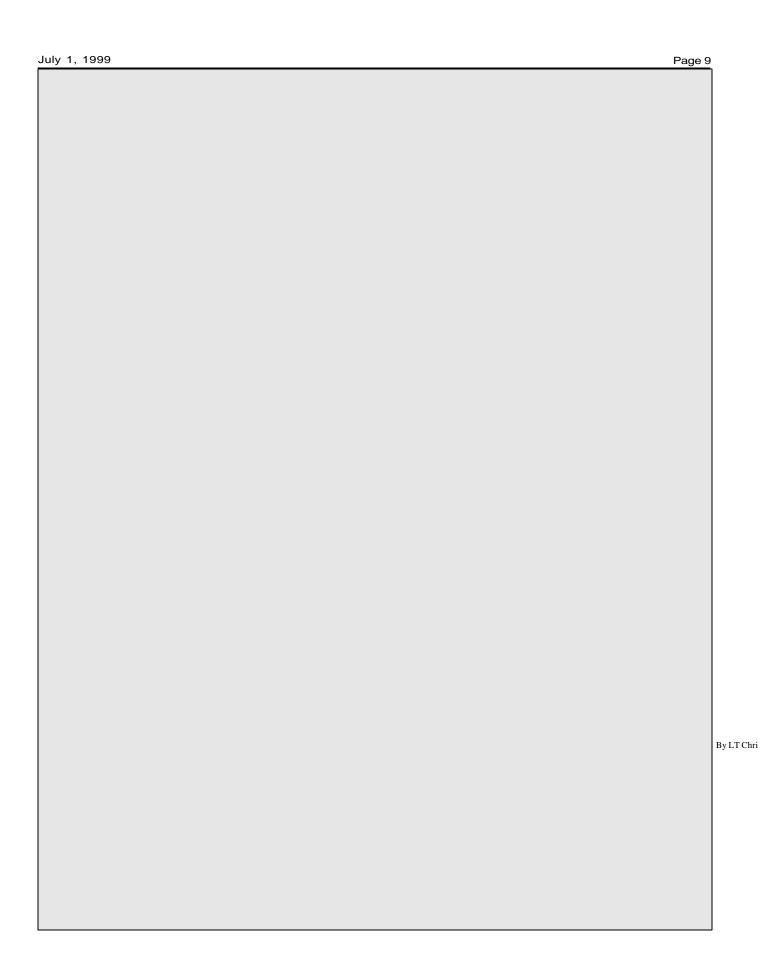
it comes to motivating people: the carrot and the stick.

The stick says, "you'll do this or else!" And occasionally the stick is a pretty good motivator. Every now and then a well-placed foot prods us in the right direction. When the Gunny motivates the recruit to hustle over the obstacle. When the parent motivates the child to complete the homework assignment. When the boss motivates the employee to start work on time.

The problem is when its all stick and no carrot.

Most people respond better to praise than to criticism. The stick may get you over an obstacle, but the carrot of praise and encouragement will help you finish the race.

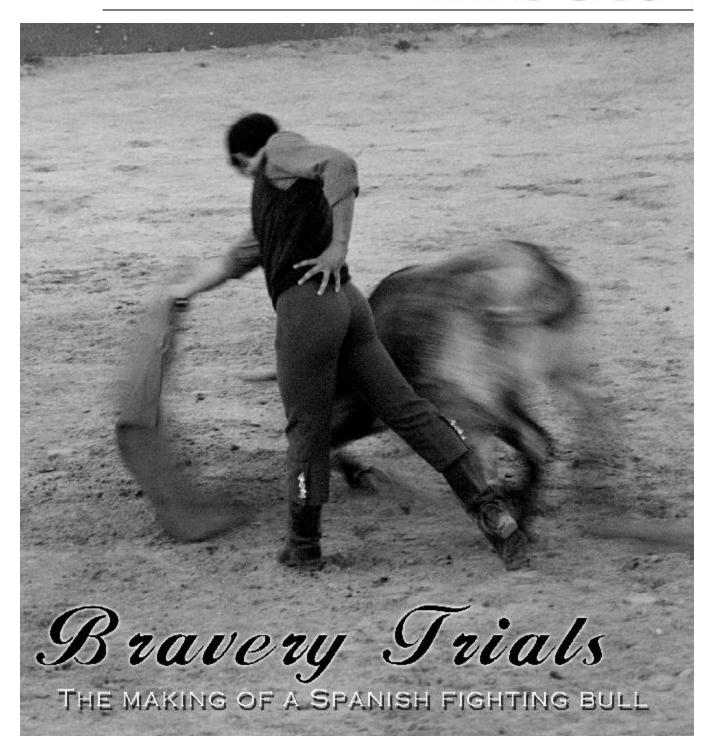
Who needs to be motivated today? Your shipmate, your child, your co-worker, your spouse? How will you do it? Before you haul out the big stick, think about what a few words or praise and encouragement can do. Think about the times when you were in their shoes and you wished that someone would have put the stick away, and led you by their example.



## Month at a glance

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday		Friday	Saturday
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4th of July events 4 a.m. — casetas close noon — sports awards 1 p.m. — Ident-a- kid 5 p.m. — Flamenco 7 - 11 p.m. — bands	4th of July events mid 2 a.m. — FIREWORKS SHOW 4 a.m. — casetas close 1 - 6 — various events 8 p.m. — closes.	Captain's Cup Softball begins. Call 2563.	Dart Tournament at Champions. Call 2433.	NavSta CPO meeting 3:30 p.m.	O Captain's Call at 12:05 p.m. on Hot 102.5 FM  Jams tripto Isla Magica. Call 4565	10 Death of El Cid Fiesta del Sol mini Biathalon
11 ITT trip to Ronda Call 1560	Uncle Sam's reopens	13 Jerezbodega with horse show Call 1560	Bastille Day Parents and Tots 11:30 to 1 p.m.	VQ2 Change of Command 10 a.m. at VQ-2 hanger	16 TSC closure ceremony 10:30a.m. at Reflections Spanish Navy day	Edge trip to Gibraltar July 13 deadline. Call 4625
18 See WWII tunnels at Gibraltar Call 1560	19 Old book store closes 19 - 22 July, reopens 23 July. Water ballon fight at the Edge Call 4625	Aniversary of the first man setting foot on the moon	21 ITT trip to Ubrique Call 1560.	22 ITT trip to Sevilla Call 1560.	23 Captain's Call at 12:05 p.m. on Hot 102.5 FM Bookstore grand openning at Video Mart	24 Mini-Triathalom Call 2563.
25 ITT Trip to Tarifa Call 1560.	Deadline to register for Teen Marines. Call 3280.	Jerez bodega with horse show Call 1560.	Pool tournament at Champions at 6:30 p.m. Call 2433	29 Expeditions opens Across from gym	30 Liberty GoCart trip Call 2527.	31 ITT trip to Nerja Call 1560.
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## La Tienta

## CREATING THE FIGHTING BULL

photos and text by JOC Jon McMillan

Today's toro bravo, Spain's legendary fighting bull, is the product of more than 200 years of selective breeding. The bulls are bred specifically for aggressiveness and courage. At the age of two, the animals are tested in bravery trials, called tientas, held on a breeder's fincha, or ranch.

The tienta we went to was held at Fincha Canaleja, located near Alcala de los Gazules, southeast of Medina Sidonia. This is bull country. Large ranches stretch across the landscape and offer day-trip drivers an excellent

opportunity to see toros bravos grazing in the fields.

Fincha Canaleja is relatively new to the breeding business. Senor Juan Torres, the ranches' owner has been raising his new brand, Hermanos Torres Gagello, for only seven years. Already though, he is making a name for himself, and his brand of torros bravos. All of his fighting bulls were sold before the beginning of the bullfighting season.

The tientas have a lot to do with that. Ensuring only the best heifers are allowed to breed helps guarantee the







fighting bulls will be brave. Torres said that out of 60 or 70 heifers tested, they will keep ten to twelve for breeding. It's during the tienta where that selection is made.

During this tienta, three two-year-old heifers were corralled and one at a time led into a small bullring specifically built for tientas. Inside the bullring waits a horse-mounted picador, a few matadors and an assortment of ranch-hands.

The heifer is put into the ring and is judged by a small group of experienced breeders. The heifer is judged on how many unprovoked attacks it makes at the padded horse and how well it makes passes when one of the matadors fights the animal. The breeders are looking for courage, the directness of her attacks, aggressiveness and general fighting





characteristics.

Out of the three heifers tested during this tienta, two of the bulls were classified as brave, the other was dismissed and will not be bred. Sr. Torres said it was very rare to have two heifers classified brave and he was very pleased with the results. Even more pleasing was a phone call the owner received earlier that day from Jaen. Some of his torros bravos

were being fought there and he was told they fought very brave.

In addition to the bravery tests, some Spanish tientas are giant social affairs. This tienta was also a celebration of Sr. Torres' Saint's Day. After the bravery trials, guests gathered in a large ranch building and feasted on torro bravo meat, tapas, local wine and cerveza.

The director of this tienta was the

Jerez-based matador Manuel "El Estudiante" Rodriquez. A novice matador from San Fernando, Toraro "El Puyita" was there to gain valuable practice. The main picador and mayoral was Domingo Fior.

Fighting bulls from Fincha Canaleja have fought at bullrings in Conil, San Fernando, Cadiz, Malaga and Jaen.

More information on bullfighting and

tientas can be found in John Fulton's "Bullfighting" book, available at Rota's American Red Cross office. For an interesting drive through "bull country," take the NIV to Chiclana, then take the C340 to the Medina Sidonia exit, this will put you on C346. Take the C346 to Medina Sidonia and take the C343 down to Vejer. From Vejer, return home via the NIV/N340.





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## COMMUNITY NEWS & INFORMATION

## American Red Cross

The American Red Cross will have it's monthly volunteer orientation on July 26 from 10-11a.m. in the DAPA conference room located in the PSD Building #52. If you would like to become an ARC volunteer and have not registered, please come to the office to complete the application. For more information, please call x2333.

#### Are you expecting?

Childbirth preparation classes are held monthly from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Sign-up in the Hospital's OB/GYN clinic.

## HRO seeks instructors

HRO is looking for volunteers (Spanish and English speaking) to act as course facilitators for in-house programs. The program includes basic supervision course modules; basic electronics for electricians, English for Spanish employees, sexual harassment and computer training. If interested, contact Sr. Faya at 1646. The program is open to both military and civilian personnel.

## NMCR seeks volunteers

The Navy/Marine Corps Relief Society offers training to complement your winning smile and desire to help. Join our team of volunteers as they guide clients through their troubles. Work in a professional office setting, enhance your job skills and make friends with others who share your values of helping those in need, Call x1614 or stop by NMCRS located in the PSD building to apply for one of these positions. Childcare and mileage reimbursed.

### Got change?

MWR is asking the Rota community to gather up all their loose coins and exchange it for bills at the MWR Central Cashier office in Building 1 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Reflections and Champions will accept coins after 5:30 p.m. We are in need of change. All-American coins, except pennies.

will be accepted.

#### Expeditions

The grand opening of the new single Sailor center, Expeditions, is scheduled for July 29 at 11am. The facility, located in what is now the Rec. Center (Bldg. 48), will offer Sailors a place to relax and conveniences like a computer room, a mini theater, sound booths, billiard tables, telephone booths and more. Call ext. 2527.

## OU offers online distance education courses

Oklahoma University if offering four online course during the Fall 1999 term. The drop/add date is August 6. The limit for each class is 30 students worldwide. If interested, please enroll early!

Classes offered: Electronic access to research resources; Instructional telecommunications; Global ethics; and Technology in educational administration. Each course is 3 hours-with no CDR. For more information call ext. 2799.

## **Travel & Trips**

#### Moto Nave "Adriano"

Trips from Puerto to Cadiz and return on a boat. Hours from Puerto: 9 and 11 a.m., 1, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Hours from Cadiz: 10 a.m., noon, 2, 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. Daily departure except Mondays. Price 250 ptas one way. Duration of trip 45 min.

## Real San Fernando

Trips to Coto Donana from Sanlucar. Hours: 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Daily departure except Mondays. Duration of visit 4 hrs. approx. Reservation in advance.

#### It's a breeze

Join the Liberty crew on a trip to Tarifa to watch some of the best windsurfers do their thing during the Formula Windsurfing '99 competition on July 24 - 25. The cost is \$5 per day. Call ext.

#### Rock the Kasbah

Did you know Morocco is about 6 miles away from the port of Algeciras. Think about it...you're six miles away from Africa!!! If you want to get a little closer to the continent, ITT is having a trip to Tetuan, Morocco in mid-July.

Call the travel experts at ext. 3101 for details on this or any other trip.

## Explorer

Liberty is having a Gibraltar dolphin watch trip on July 3. You'll get the chance to sail around in search of dolphins. Cost for the trip is \$26. Also in July, Singles are welcome on a trip to Aqua Sherry on July 4. Call ext. 2527 for details.

## On the road again...

ITT is having a day trip to the historic city of Ronda on July 11. Also this month, there's a trip to the whitetown of Arcos de la Frontera (it is known as a white-town for its whitewashed buildings). Call ext. 3101 for more info.

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RAPPUHN, K.W.
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s & Culture

#### Photographs by Jorge Zapata

"Kosovo. Retrato del Exodo" Exhibition at I.P. Fernado Quinones, Cadiz, through July 16.

#### Photographs by Fernando Moleres

"Adultos a la fuerza" theme: "exploitation of children in the labor field", at El Bidon, CBdiz.

Paints by Antonio Rojas "La mirada oblicua" exhibition at Diputacion Provincial, Cadiz, through July 11.

Paints by Conce Rivas and Alberto Sanjuan "Pintando Jerez" at Sala Unicaja, Jerez, through July 6

#### Paints by Loreto Villar and Teresa Puerta

Exhibition at Club the Golf de Vistahermosa, Casa Grande, El Puerto, through July 4.

Our Lady del Carmen is the Patroness of the Spanish Navy. Many towns in the Bay of Cadiz celebrate this festivity with evening religious processions, starting at sea and finishing at local Church. It's the Saint Day for all women named Carmen. San Fernando. Our Lady del Carmen and Salt Fair. July 13 - 18.

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## ROTA SPOTLIGHT



Name: MS1 Hugo Melchor Hometown: El Paso, Texas Assignedto: Supply

Job description: Supply Department career

counselor.

Places visited while in the Navy: Hong Kong, Pl, Thiland, Dubai, Abu Dabi, Hawaii, Brazil, Bermuda, U.S. Virgin Islands, Spain, France,

Greece

Reason for joining the Navy:IthoughtI would never have to study... Wrong. Favorite movie: "Star Wars, Walk in the Clouds."

Most memorable career event: Recruiting lots of young Americans from my hometown. Hobbies: Wife and kids, computers and motorcycles.

## Religious News & Information

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Contemporary	
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Church of Christ	1:30 p.m.

## Victory Villa - come and visit

You are invited to victory villa, a non-denominational, Christian hospitality house for us military and their families. Saturday, June 26 we are having "game night," We will be playing board games and snacking. Potlucks and bible studies begin each week at 6:30 p.m. on Fridays and 2:30 p.m. on Sundays. Drop by anytime throughout the week. We have access to the beach, a great patio for lounging(overlooking the bay). Also you can meet Victor, the neurotic dog-if you like exercise. Call Bill & Sylvia for additional information-956810226. Hope to see you this week.

## Officer Christian Fellowship

(OCF) - OCF meets every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. OCF is an organization uniting officers for biblical fellowship and outreach. OCF is open to any present or former officer or warrant officer in the U.S. Armed Forces and their spouses. For the location of this week's meeting or more information contact Todd at x-4069 or Susannah at (956)87-3679.

## Spiritual Growth Retreat

A Spiritual Growth Retreat will be held July 23-25. This retreat is open to all good spirited individuals who want to deepen their faith and explore the influence of spirituality on life. Contact Chaplain Gore at x2161.

## **MWR Job Announcements**

Cashier
Market Street
Dining Room Cashier
Champions Sports Club
Ticket Seller
Theater
Booth Cashier
Reflections
Programs Assistant
CDC

In addition MWR is recruiting: Emergency Hire Employees, ext: 2596, US Aerobic Instructors, x2563, Family Child Care Providers, x1105, and US Craft Instructors.

## HRO

Lifeguard GS-0189-03 OPEN UNTIL FILLED

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Summer Youth Employment CLOSES: 30JUL99

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## **Now Showing**

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Drive-In movies begin around 10:30 p.m. The schedule for this weekend is: Friday - Black Mask (R) Saturday - The Mummy (PG-13) Sunday - Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me (R)

#### **Gateway Auditorium**

Today 3 p.m. The Mummy (PG-13) 6 p.m. The Love Letter (PG-13) 8:30 p.m. Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me (R)

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3:30 p.m. My Favorite Martian
(PG)
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Wed., July 7 3 p.m. Star Wars: Episode 1 -The Phantom Menace (PG) 6 p.m. Black Mask (R) 8:30 p.m. Election (R)

#### Black Mask (R)

Internationally renowned marital arts master Jet Li, stars as a man who must save the world from the darkest of evils in a wall-to-wall action-adventure featuring some of the most spectacular martial arts fight

sequences seen in years.

## The General's Daughter (R) No information available at this

## My Favorite Martian (PG)

Ambitious television reporter Tim O'Hara stumbles upon a "Martian" whose spaceship has accidentally crash-landed on Earth. Thinking that this is the story of the millennium and his chance at a Pulitzer Prize, Tim makes plans to expose the Martian, who, posing as Tim's Uncle Martin, takes human form and has plans of his own.

## Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me (R)

Mike Myers returns as Austin Powers, International Man of Mystery. This time, Austin travels back to the '60s to reclaim his "mojo" which has been stolen by Dr. Evil. He is assisted by CIA agent Felicity, Shagwell and is hampered by Dr. Evil's cronies, Mini-Me and the Fat Bastard.

#### Election (R)

No information available at this time

## Star Wars: Episode 1 - The Phantom Menace (PG)

Set before the original Star Wars, this pre-quel follows young Jedi apprentice Obi-Wan Kenobi and Jedi Master Qui-Gon Jinn as they try and settle a dispute between the Trade Federation and the planet Naboo. Along the way, they meet and adopt Anakin Skywalker, who Qui-Gon believes possesses the "force."

#### Instinct (R)

Drama; Anthony Hopkins, Cuba Gooding, Jr. (126 min.) Within the brilliant mind of primatologist Ethan Powell lies an ominous secret - a deepseated mystery unsolved by his estranged family the police who have tracked him down and jailed him for murders that occurred in the jungles of Rwanda. Now, held captive in a prison, Powell, is remanded to psychiatrist Theo Caulder who must try to unlock the dark mysteries from the mind of what appears to be a madman.

#### The Love Letter (PG-13)

Drama; Kate Capshaw, Blythe Danner (88 min.)
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The Mummy is a rousing, humorous, suspenseful and horrifying epic about an expedition of treasure-seeking explorers in the Sahara Desert who stumble upon an ancient tomb, and unwittingly set loose a 3,000-year-old legacy of terror, which is embodied in the vengeful reincarnation of an Egyptian priest.

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#### Miscellaneous

**Lost Wallet** in Rota taxi 19<sup>th</sup> of June. Please return military I.D. No questions asked. Small reward.

Large dog carrier \$40, floor to ceiling scratching post \$25, 110v radiator heater \$25, dehumidifier \$75, baby swing like new \$50. Call 851378

Macintosh computer users: I need some help setting up my e-mail program. Please call if available to assist-956840902, ask for Dale.

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WANTED: Used car seat for child up to 40 pounds. (not the infant car seats). Please call 956-816005.

Garage Sale: Various children's and ladies clothing. Small living room and bedroom furniture.
0800-1400 on Sat. July 9, 1999 at 740

#### Pets

Free to a good home: 6 year old female white labrador, great family dog. Used to children. If interested, please call Lis at 956 481032.

## Wardrobe

**Levi's** men's jeans-36x30, \$12 each, women's jeans, petite 10, \$12 each, two fancy black dresses, one w/lace, other w/

polka dots, \$25 each, petite 10. Several women's summer dresses, 8 suits, size 10. Contact Maria Foster at x2813

#### Announcements

Thank you, Mary Jones, Melanie Whiteside, and Reggie Lawton for offering me a ride on a hot day! Your kindness is appreciated.-Morgan A GREAT BIG THANK YOU for all of the volunteers of this years Son Castle Faire VBS. You were a blessing to a lot of children and because of you it was a great success!!!

#### Entertainment

## Lights, camera and action!

MWR's Drive-In theater is so unique that it's the only one the Navy owns and operates in the world! It's a free and fun way to spend an evening with the family. That's why it's so important that everyone pitches in and follows the rules at the Drive-In. Effective July 19, no pets are permitted at the theater and everyone must show their ID's to get in. Please respect all the rules and...enjoy the movie!

#### Bull's eye!

It's fun, exciting and you could win some cash by throwing some darts! Join Champions next dart tourney on July 1 - that's today! The fun starts at 6 p.m. and the cost is \$5 per person. Call ext. 2433.

#### Serve it up

Break out the shades and show us your stuff at Champions' next Volleyball tourney on July 20. There is no entry fee and competition starts at 7 p.m. Call ext. 2433

## Coming soon...

The Air Force band Tops-N-Blue will make a stop in Rota on July 10 to perform. Times and dates to be announced. Call ext. 2433.

Gym Shorts

## Second Popular Race "Pago del Humo"

Race set for Saturday, July 3, at 8 p.m. in Chiclana. Trophies to the three firsts in each category.

Medals to 4th to 10th in each category. For more information, call Maria at COMREL, ext. 2813

## Life, liberty and bowling

Break out that dusty bowling ball from the closet and celebrate the Fourth of July by bowling (and by wearing funny looking shoes) at Rota Lanes. Bowl for 50 cents a game all day long on July 4. Call ext. 2112.

## Move your body!

The Fitness Center is hosting a midsummer, Mini-Triathlon on July 24. The race will consist of a 500 meter swim, a 5K run and a 20K bike ride. It all begins at 9 a.m. at the Housing Pool and it's free. The deadline to sign up is July 21 at the Fitness Center. Call ext. 2563.

## Run, Forrest!

Show your true patriotic spirit and join the Fitness Center's Independence 5K run on July 2. It's free, fun and starts at noon at the tow-way gate and will proceed onto the runway and then return. Call ext. 2563 to sign up.

## Tee off!

You've conquered the putting green and mastered the driving range, so why not put your golf skills (and those new pair of clubs) to the test at the Red, White and Blue Golf Tournament on July 5 at the golf course. This is a 2-man, best ball, four-club tournament, and it starts at 10:30 a.m. Cost is \$20 per person. Call ext. 2260.

## Can you take it?

July is going to be an exhausting month for all athletes, so live a little bit more and join the Fiesta del Sol Mini-Biathlon on July 10. The biathlon ostarts at the housing pool at 9 a.m. with a brisk 500-meter swim and ends with a 5K run. Call ext. 2563.

# Rota youth earn 1st Dan Black Belt



After several years of hard work and three days of testing, 10-year-old Nikki Fulton and 14-year-old Gretchen Storm achieved the rank of 1st Dan Black Belt. The young martial artists earned the belts June 10 while under the instruction of Sam Thorell.

## Music around town

### Concerts in July

Cadiz: XVII International Folklore Festival. Six countries will be present at the International Folklore Festival, at Teatro Jose Maria Peman, in Cadiz, July 8, 9 and 10. 
"The Inner Mongolian Genghis Mausoleum", China; "Kriel Zulu Danzars", South Africa; "Rovka", Georgia; "Janavak", India; "Estampans Panamenas", Panama; "Sorbiches National Ensemble", Alemania; Music & Dances Association "Andalucia Dos"; Folkloric Asociation "Ciudad de Cadiz"; Carmen Guerrero Group, and Adolfo Castro Group, Cadiz. "Rosana in concert", at Cadiz, July 11 
"La Oreja de Van Gogh" concert. July 31.

## Publisher's corner



Karen Lucas

Last week the Casino Bahía de Cádiz officially presented their summer activities. This year, to help celebrate their 20th anniversary, the schedule is even fuller than usual. Of special interest are the painting exhibit that consists of the works selected as finalists in their 20th anniversary painting contest, the gastronomic evenings featuring well known restaurants from all over Andalucía, flamenco, a night dedicated to the carnival, another to the bolero and the copla, performance by the Spanish comedy team "Los Morancos" and a big end of summer party on August 28th. All of the gastronomic evenings will consist of "taster's menus" with some of the specialties of the restaurant featured. It sounds real interesting to me so I hope to be able to go to a couple of them. The schedule for July is published separately so you can keep it handy. I'll publish the schedule for August at the end of this month.

We have a new ad this week for Linea Directa or Direct Line insurance company. There is a coupon for you to mail in. There is a Spanish post office on base near the Spanish headquarters for those of you who live on base or for those who find it more convenient than going downtown Puerto or Rota. The

post office in Puerto is open long hours from 8:30 a.m. until 8:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Saturdays. It does not close at mid-day.

Trinity School, the language school located near the bull ring in Puerto, will be starting a special beginners Spanish course on July 19th. The course will run for three weeks, twenty hours a week, for a total of sixty hours of instruction. They have a special, special offer for the first three people to sign up. The course will cost these first three people 45.000 pesetas instead of the regular 65.000 pesetas. Don't put it off, you will enjoy yourself so much more if you know some of the language. Remember their office hours are from 10:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. during the summer months and their phone is 956-871926.

A friend of mine recently went back to **Pasta Gansa** for dinner and she asked me to pass on how much she enjoyed it...a candlelight dinner in an old palace! And the food was excellent, she especially recommends their veal Musala with fetucini.

Congratulations to Helga and Mike of Café Tropical in Fuentebravía! Their first child, a girl they have named Hannah, was born on June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

This Sunday, July 4<sup>th</sup> El Paseo Mall will be open for business. It is one of the eight holidays a year that they open.

The running of the bulls in Pamplona (Fiestas de San Fermín) starts this coming Wednesday, July 7°. Spanish TV stations (TVE1 and Antena 3 in years past) broadcast the *encierro* (running) every morning at 8 a.m. during the week that the *fiestas* last. Coverage starts a little before 8, but the bulls are let out at 8 sharp and the whole thing takes less than

15 minutes. It is quite exciting to watch so if you get the chance, try to tune in.

Here's hoping everyone has a great 4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend! Whether you stay here and participate in all the activities on base or if you decide to take advantage of that extra day off and take a trip somewhere, take care and enjoy yourself. **P.S.** Let's hear from you! Send me your inputs by phone or fax to 956-542997 or e-mail to

COASTPUB@santandersupernet.com

## July activities at the Casino Bahía de Cádiz

Dates:

- 1, 2, 3 Gastronomic Evenings featuring Restaurante "Don Pedro" from Andujar; 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. at the Casino restaurant.
- 2 Classic and flamenco dancing by the "Adolfo de Castro" dance group in the AZAR night club.
- 3 Election of Miss Master Andalucía in the AZAR night club.
- 8 Flamenco by "Cuadro de Pili Ogalla" in the night club.
- 8, 9, 10 Gastronomic Evenings featuring Restaurante "José Vicente" from Aracena, 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. at the Casino restaurant.
- 9 Deadline for turning in pieces of art for the painting contest.
  10. Contest "Entre pillos anda el juego" in the
- Discotheque.

  15 Flamenco by "Cuadro de Pili Ogalla" in the
- night club.
- 16 Contest "Entre pillos anda el juego" in the Discotheque.
- 17 Los Morancos perform in the AZAR night club.
- 20 Inauguration of the painting exhibit and

awarding of prizes.

- 22 Flamenco by "Cuadro de Pili Ogalla" in the night club.
- 22, 23, 24 Gastronomic Evenings featuring Restaurante "El Convento" from Arcos de la Frontera, 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. at the Casino
- 23 Contest "Entre pillos anda el juego" in the Discothegue.
- 23 Grand Carnival Night in the AZAR night club.
- 24 Contest "Entre pillos anda el juego" in the Discotheque.
- 29 Flamenco by "Cuadro de Pili Ogalla" in the night club.
- 29, 30, 31 Gastronomic Evenings featuring the Restaurante "Jailú" from Sevilla.
- 30 Contest "Entre pillos anda el juego" in the Discotheque.
- 31 Contest "Entre pillos anda el juego" in the Discotheque.
- 31 Night of the "Bolero" and the "Copla". Performances by Juana Vargas, María Gracia, Manolo Medina and Charo Reina in the AZAR night club.

